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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Hiroshi HORIBE

Serial No.: 10/050,166

Filed: January 18, 2002

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND WIRE BONDING APPARATUS

Group Art Unit: 2811

Examiner: N. Parekh

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Noting the Office Action of January 16, 2003 wherein restriction has been required, Applicant hereby elects Group I (claims 1-6) for prosecution in the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel ~~claims~~ 7-11 without disclaimer or prejudice.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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